

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant	:	Andrieu et al.
App. No	:	10/550,297
Filed	:	September 21, 2005
For	:	INTRAPARIETAL AORTIC VALVE REINFORCEMENT DEVICE AND REINFORCED AORTIC VALVE
Examiner	:	Schillinger, Ann M.
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**AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

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Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action issued on November 20, 2007 and in connection with the Request for Continued Examination filed herewith, Applicant respectfully submits the following amendments and comments in connection with the above-captioned application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Summary of Interview** begins on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.